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Docket No.: 355908-1951  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

David E. SPANER

Application No.: 09/853,755

Filed: May 14, 2001

For: INHIBITION OF GRAFT VERSUS  
HOST DISEASE

MAIL STOP AF

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: G. Ewoldt

**REPLY AND AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Dear Sir:

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This Reply and Amendment is in response to the final Office Action mailed on February 17, 2004 for the above-captioned application. This Office Action set a three month period for response. A Petition requesting a one month extension of time is enclosed herewith and this Reply and Amendment is being filed on or before its current due date of June 17, 2004.

As to this response, Applicants note the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin of page 3 of this paper.